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STATE OF TENNESSEE
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TUESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1995
FIRST ORGANIZATIONAL DAY

The House of Representatives of the Ninety-ninth General Assembly of the State of Tennessee was called to order at twelve o'clock noon by Jimmy Naifeh, Speaker of the Ninety-eighth General Assembly, in accordance with Article II, Sections 3 and 8 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee.

The Speaker invited family and friends of the members-elect into the Chamber.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by The Reverend James E. Haney of The John Wesley Methodist Church of Nashville, Tennessee.

Representative Pruitt led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The Speaker directed Mr. Burney T. Durham, Chief Clerk of the Ninety-eighth General Assembly, to call the names, by district, of the duly elected Representatives who have been certified by the Secretary of State:

REPRESENTATIVES BY DISTRICT

First Representative District--Ron Ramsey

Second Representative District--Keith Westmoreland

Third Representative District--Richard Venable

Fourth Representative District--Ralph Cole

Fifth Representative District--Zane C. Whitson, Jr.

Sixth Representative District--Bobby Hicks

Seventh Representative District--Bob Patton

Eighth Representative District--Bill Clabough

Ninth Representative District--Ken Givens

Tenth Representative District--Stancil Ford

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Eleventh Representative District--Ronnie E. Davis
Twelfth Representative District--Larry Huskey
Thirteenth Representative District--Harry J. Tindell
Fourteenth Representative District--H. E. Bittle
Fifteenth Representative District--Joseph E. Armstrong
Sixteenth Representative District--Bill Dunn
Seventeenth Representative District--Wayne Ritchie
Eighteenth Representative District--Tim Burchett
Nineteenth Representative District--Jim Boyer
Twentieth Representative District--Howard Kerr
Twenty-first Representative District--Douglas E. Gunnels
Twenty-second Representative District--J. Chris Newton
Twenty-third Representative District--Robert (Bob) McKee
Twenty-fourth Representative District--Don Bird
Twenty-fifth Representative District--Shirley Duer
Twenty-sixth Representative District--Bobby G. Wood
Twenty-seventh Representative District--Bill H. McAfee
Twenty-eighth Representative District--Tommie F. Brown
Twenty-ninth Representative District--Brenda Kaye Turner
Thirtieth Representative District--Jack Sharp
Thirty-first Representative District--Arnold A. Stulce
Thirty-second Representative District--Bruce Cantrell
Thirty-third Representative District--David Coffey
Thirty-fourth Representative District--Micheal R. Williams
Thirty-fifth Representative District--Dennis E. Roach
Thirty-sixth Representative District--Jerry Cross
Thirty-seventh Representative District--Shelby A. Rhinehart
Thirty-eighth Representative District--Leslie E. Winningham
Thirty-ninth Representative District--Billy Rigsby
Fortieth Representative District--Frank Buck

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Forty-first Representative District--John Mark Windle
Forty-second Representative District--Jere L. Hargrove
Forty-third Representative District--Charles Curtiss
Forty-fourth Representative District--Michael Ray McDonald
Forty-fifth Representative District--Randall (Randy) Stamps
Forty-sixth Representative District--Joe W. Bell
Forty-seventh Representative District-- Doyle "Butch" Lewis
Forty-eighth Representative District--John T. Bragg
Forty-ninth Representative District--Mary Ann Eckles
Fiftieth Representative District--Tim Garrett
Fifty-first Representative District--Robb Robinson
Fifty-second Representative District--Bill Purcell
Fifty-third Representative District--John Arriola
Fifty-fourth Representative District--Edith Taylor Langster
Fifty-fifth Representative District--Gary Odom
Fifty-sixth Representative District--Beth Halteman Harwell
Fifty-seventh Representative District--Mae Beavers
Fifty-eighth Representative District--Mary Pruitt
Fifty-ninth Representative District--Sherry Stoner Jones
Sixtieth Representative District--Ben West
Sixty-first Representative District--Clint Callicott
Sixty-second Representative District--Clarence (Pete) Phillips
Sixty-third Representative District--L. Mike Williams
Sixty-fourth Representative District--J. B. Napier
Sixty-fifth Representative District--Joe Fowlkes
Sixty-sixth Representative District--Eugene E. (Gene) Davidson
Sixty-seventh Representative District--Kim A. McMillan
Sixty-eighth Representative District--Tommy Head
Sixty-ninth Representative District--Doug Jackson

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Seventieth Representative District--John White
Seventy-first Representative District--Randy Rinks
Seventy-second Representative District--Steve McDaniel
Seventy-third Representative District--Matt Kisber
Seventy-fourth Representative District--James L. Peach, Sr.
Seventy-fifth Representative District--L. Don Ridgeway
Seventy-sixth Representative District--Roy B. Herron
Seventy-seventh Representative District--Phillip Pinion
Seventy-eighth Representative District--Ronnie M. Cole
Seventy-ninth Representative District--Paul E. Phelan
Eightieth Representative District--Page Walley
Eighty-first Representative District--Jimmy Naifeh
Eighty-second Representative District--Craig Fitzhugh
Eighty-third Representative District--Joe Kent
Eighty-fourth Representative District--Joe Towns, Jr.
Eighty-fifth Representative District--Larry Turner
Eighty-sixth Representative District--Rufus E. Jones
Eighty-seventh Representative District--Kathryn I. Bowers
Eighty-eighth Representative District--Larry J. Miller
Eighty-ninth Representative District--Carol Chumney
Ninetieth Representative District--John DeBerry
Ninety-first Representative District--Lois M. DeBerry
Ninety-second Representative District--Henri E. Brooks
Ninety-third Representative District--Michael L. Kernell
Ninety-fourth Representative District--David A. Shirley
Ninety-fifth Representative District--Ed Haley
Ninety-sixth Representative District--Joyce B. Hassell
Ninety-seventh Representative District--Tim Joyce
Ninety-eighth Representative District--Ulysses Jones, Jr.
Ninety-ninth Representative District--Dan R. Byrd

OATHS OF OFFICE OF REPRESENTATIVES-ELECT

All Representatives-elect stood and were administered the oath of office by the Honorable David H. Welles, Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals, as prescribed by the State Constitution and the Statutes of Tennessee.

The Speaker congratulated the members of the Ninety-ninth General Assembly.

ADOPTION OF TEMPORARY RULES

On motion of Rep. Purcell, the House of Representatives of the Ninety-ninth General Assembly adopted as its temporary rules the rules of the Ninety-eighth General Assembly. Rep. Ridgeway seconded the motion, which motion prevailed.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

CHAIR TO PRO TEMPORE

Speaker Pro Tempore DeBerry assumed the chair and announced that the next order of business was the election of Speaker of the House of the Ninety-ninth General Assembly.

ELECTION OF SPEAKER

Speaker Pro Tempore DeBerry announced that nominations were in order for Speaker of the House of Representatives for the Ninety-ninth General Assembly.

Representative Bragg nominated the Honorable Jimmy Naifeh of Tipton County.

Representative Purcell and Representative Ridgeway seconded the nomination.

There being no further nominations, Representative Purcell moved that nominations cease and that the Clerk be directed to call the roll, which motion prevailed.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

The roll was called with the following results:

For Mr. Naifeh.98
Pass1

Representatives voting for Mr. Naifeh were: Armstrong, Arriola, Beavers, Bell, Bird, Bittle, Bowers, Boyer, Bragg, Brooks, Brown, Buck, Burchett, Byrd, Callicott, Cantrell, Chumney, Clabough, Coffey, Cole (Carter), Cole (Dyer), Cross, Curtiss, Davidson, Davis, DeBerry J, DeBerry L, Duer, Dunn, Eckles, Fitzhugh, Ford, Fowlkes, Garrett, Givens, Gunnels, Haley, Halteman, Harwell, Hargrove,

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Hassell, Head, Herron, Hicks, Huskey, Jackson, Jones R (Shelby), Jones S, Jones U (Shelby), Joyce, Kent, Kernell, Kerr, Kisber, Langster, Lewis, McAfee, McDaniel, McDonald, McKee, McMillan, Miller, Napier, Newton, Odom, Patton, Peach, Phelan, Phillips, Pinion, Pruitt, Purcell, Ramsey, Rhinehart, Ridgeway, Rigsby, Rinks, Ritchie, Roach, Robinson, Sharp, Stamps, Stulce, Tindell, Towns, Turner (Hamilton), Turner (Shelby), Venable, Walley, West, Westmoreland, White, Whitson, Williams (Union), Williams (Williamson), Windle, Winingham, Wood, Mr. Speaker Naifeh -- 98.
Representative passing: Shirley -- 1.

The Honorable Jimmy Naifeh, having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared duly, legally, and constitutionally elected Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Ninety-ninth General Assembly by Speaker Pro Tempore DeBerry.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

OATH OF OFFICE

The Oath of Office was administered to Speaker Naifeh by the Honorable David H. Welles, Judge of the Criminal Court of Appeals, as prescribed by the State Constitution and the Statutes of Tennessee.

Speaker Naifeh expressed his appreciation and addressed the body with the following remarks.

SPEAKER'S REMARKS

Speaker Pro-Tem DeBerry, Majority Leader Purcell, Minority Leader Bittle, Mr. Chairman Bragg, and Mr. Chairman Rhinehart, our most senior members. To all my most distinguished colleagues from both parties who were re-elected and helped lead this house over the years. And to those who are in this great institution today for the first time. To my family and friends and your families and friends.

I appreciate more than I can express the confidence you have shown in electing me your Speaker again. In return for this confidence, I renew my pledge to conduct the business of the house as fairly, and as honestly and efficiently as I am able. It makes no difference whether you are a committee chairman or a freshman, my door will always be open to any member of this house who has a question or a concern.

Today begins a new era for the Tennessee House of Representatives. The last eight years were marked by a period of historic cooperation between the House and a Governor who was a former member of this body. It was a relationship that combined a governor with common sense vision and a House that was ready to put aside partisanship for the good of the state. The result of this cooperation was a period of progress in education, in health care, in corrections and in economic development that our children will read about as one of the most successful in Tennessee's 200 year history.

In ten days, we will have a new governor who represents a different political party. Doubtless there are many Tennesseans who wonder what

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this change will mean for the relationship between this House and the Executive Branch.

As Speaker of this House, I pledge to Governor-elect Sundquist that I will cooperate in any way possible to make sure we maintain the tremendous progress we are enjoying today in Tennessee. Bipartisan cooperation served Tennessee well under a Democratic governor, and it can serve the same ends with a Republican governor.

This does not, of course, suggest that the Democrats plan to spend the next four years sitting on the sideline. As we seek to work with the administration on its priorities, Democrats also will have legislative priorities.

First and foremost, the Finance Committee will seek to protect Tennessee's reputation as the best managed state government in America. Our economy is one of the strongest, our taxes are the lowest, our unemployment is at record low and the rise in personal income is the highest in this nation. The size of state government has declined over the last eight years. Budgets have been balanced, and all new proposals, including those in corrections, have been required to provide first-year funding. These are conservative policies that are responsible for Tennessee's reputation, and to which I am committed.

The Democrats will join Governor-elect Sundquist in his opposition to any new taxes, including other items, such as fees, that are only taxes in disguise.

In the area of education, Democrats and Republicans from the Education Committee stood together in this chamber to pass one of the most comprehensive education reform plans in America. The first three years of the 21st Century Schools Program have made an enormous difference in dozens of the communities represented in this house. We are three years into a six-year commitment to fund this program, and we should not compromise one dollar of this commitment until it is fully funded.

There is a final issue important to the Democrats in this chamber and I am sure to the Republicans as well. Those of you who were here last year recall that the house passed ethics legislation intended to be an important first step toward the goal of campaign reform. For reasons that are unclear, the Senate adjourned before voting on these reforms.

The Governor-elect stated last week that he would like to see improvements in Tennessee's campaign laws. In a gesture that I hope will establish a good relationship between the House and the Executive Branch, I am today reaching out to Governor-elect Sundquist and offering to work with the administration to develop practical, meaningful ethics legislation.

I do not see this effort as my bill, or a Democratic bill or a Republican bill. Instead, I would view it as an effort of cooperation between the administration and the House Ethics Committee to regain the public's trust in the political process.

I close with a brief word to the twenty-five ladies and gentlemen who begin their service today. I'm excited for you, because I remember

what it was like back in 1975 when I took that oath for the first time.

On your first day, I'll take the privilege as speaker to share some simple advice. Be serious, but don't take yourself too seriously. When in doubt, follow your instincts. If you have a family, call them every night. And never, ever, think that any person or any political party is more important than the people we're here to serve. I welcome you to the greatest experience of your life. Thank you.

CHAIR TO SPEAKER

Mr. Speaker Naifeh resumed the Chair.

ELECTION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The Speaker announced that the next order of business was the election of a Speaker Pro Tempore and declared that nominations were in order.

Representative Armstrong nominated the Honorable Lois DeBerry of Shelby County.

Representative Chumney and Representative John DeBerry seconded the nomination.

There being no further nominations, Representative Purcell moved that the nominations cease, and that the Clerk be directed to call the roll, which motion prevailed.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

The roll was called with the following results:

For Rep. DeBerry	98
Pass.	1

Representatives voting for Rep. DeBerry were: Armstrong, Arriola, Beavers, Bell, Bird, Bittle, Bowers, Boyer, Bragg, Brooks, Brown, Buck, Burchett, Byrd, Callicott, Cantrell, Chumney, Clabough, Coffey, Cole (Carter), Cole (Dyer), Cross, Curtiss, Davidson, Davis, DeBerry J, DeBerry L, Duer, Eckles, Fitzhugh, Ford, Fowlkes, Garrett, Givens, Gunnels, Haley, Halteman Harwell, Hargrove, Hassell, Head, Herron, Hicks, Huskey, Jackson, Jones R (Shelby), Jones S, Jones U (Shelby), Joyce, Kent, Kernell, Kerr, Kisber, Langster, Lewis, McAfee, McDaniel, McDonald, McKee, McMillan, Miller, Napier, Newton, Odom, Patton, Peach, Phelan, Phillips, Pinion, Pruitt, Purcell, Ramsey, Rhinehart, Ridgeway, Rigsby, Rinks, Ritchie, Roach, Robinson, Sharp, Shirley, Stamps, Stulce, Tindell, Towns, Turner (Hamilton), Turner (Shelby), Venable, Walley, West, Westmoreland, White, Whitson, Williams (Union), Williams (Williamson), Windle, Winningham, Wood, Mr. Speaker Naifeh -- 98.

Representative passing: Dunn -- 1.

Speaker Naifeh announced that Rep. DeBerry, having received a constitutional majority of the votes cast, was declared duly, legally, and constitutionally, elected Speaker Pro Tempore of the House of Representatives of the Ninety-ninth General Assembly.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

OATH OF OFFICE

The Oath of Office was administered to Speaker Pro Tempore DeBerry by the Honorable David H. Welles, Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals, as prescribed by the State Constitution and the Statutes of Tennessee.

Speaker Pro Tempore DeBerry expressed her appreciation with the following remarks.

SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE'S REMARKS

Thank you for giving me the privilege of serving once again as your Speaker Pro Tempore.

As we begin a new year;

As we begin with a new administration;

As we prepare to enter a new decade, remember that we are the blessed few,

Chosen by the Majority in our districts to come to Nashville and make a difference.

Today, we launch a new chapter. These are truly times of challenge and change. We will make difficult choices and decisions. But, I learned long ago that challenges in large part are what give meaning to life and provide us with the measure of success. So as we approach our task ahead, we must all be confident in our ability to make that difference.

None of us are born to solve the problems of the world, but to find out where the problem begins and to keep within the limits of what we can grasp. No more is suggested, no more is asked.

If each and everyone of us would join hands and work together, we can make this state and world a much better place for all its citizens. Just as it takes the black and white keys to play the Star Spangled Banner, it takes blacks and whites, Democrats and Republicans, working together to improve the quality of life and move this state forward.

Let me leave you with a poem: "My Flagship" which is a poem by an unknown author.

We have mastered the air, conquered the sea and annihilated distance and prolonged life.

Yet, we are still unable to live together on earth without war and without hate.

As for me, I am tired of sailing my little ship safe inside the harbor bar.

I want to go out where the big ships float out on the deep where the great ones are.

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And should my frail craft prove too light for waves that sweep the billows o'er (over);
I rather go down in a stirring fight - than drowned to death at the sheltered shore.
Let's work together.

In that spirit, I offer this fundamental pledge. The voices of many children,
The most valuable and the most precious of all our people, our children saying to all of us:
Follow your Hopes and not your fears.

This is my pledge and my commitment. Again, thank you.

APPOINTMENT OF HOUSE OFFICERS

Speaker Naifeh appointed Mr. Burney T. Durham of Sumner County as Chief Clerk.

Speaker Naifeh appointed Ms. Betty Kay Francis of Rutherford County as Chief Engraving Clerk.

Speaker Naifeh appointed Mr. Robert Mosby of Shelby County as Chief Sergeant-at-Arms.

OATH OF OFFICE

Speaker Naifeh administered the oath of office to Mr. Durham, Ms. Francis and Mr. Mosby.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

Upon motion of Representative Purcell, a committee was appointed by the Speaker to notify the Governor that the House of Representatives had perfected its organization and was ready for the transaction of business, which motion prevailed.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

The Speaker appointed the following committee: Representatives Bragg, Chairman; Rhinehart, Buck, Robinson, and L. DeBerry.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

Upon motion of Representative Purcell, a committee was appointed by the Speaker to notify the Senate that the House of Representatives had perfected its organization and was ready for the transaction of business, which motion prevailed.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

The Speaker appointed the following committee: Representatives Duer, Chairman; McAfee, Wood, Kent, Whitson, and Huskey.

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The Speaker asked the select committees to retire to their respective tasks.

REPORT FROM THE SENATE

Senator Dixon and a committee from the Senate reported that the Senate had completed its organization and was ready for the transaction of business. The Speaker accepted the Senate report.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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Mr. Speaker:
I am directed by the Senate to notify the House that the Senate has perfected its organization and is ready for the transaction of business.

The Honorable John S. Wilder of Fayette County was elected Speaker of the Senate. The Speaker appointed Mr. Clyde W. McCullough, Jr., Chief Clerk; Mrs. Daisy Hamlin, Assistant Chief Clerk; Mrs. Deb Stutz, Chief Engrossing Clerk and Mr. Monroe Graves, Chief Sergeant at Arms.

CLYDE W.

McCULLOUGH, JR., Chief Clerk.

MOTION TO RECESS

On announcement by Speaker Naifeh, the House stood in brief recess.

RECESS EXPIRED

The recess having expired, Speaker Naifeh called the House to order and moved that the roll call be dispensed with, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Rep. Bragg reported to the House that the Governor had been notified that the House had perfected its organization and was ready for the transaction of business.

Rep. Duer reported to the House that the Senate had been notified that the House had perfected its organization and was ready for the transaction of business.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE ON RULES

On motion of Representative Purcell, in order to facilitate the adoption of the Permanent Rules for the House of Representatives of the Ninety-ninth General Assembly, a committee was appointed for the purpose of reviewing the temporary rules of the House and making any other suggestions concerning rule changes, following which the

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Select Committee on Rules shall report to the House their recommendations for permanent rules, which motion prevailed.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Speaker Naifeh appointed Representatives Purcell, Chairman; Bittle, Davis, L. DeBerry, Gunnels, Hargrove, Kisber, McDaniel, Ridgeway, Phillips, Miller, Chumney, Venable and Speaker Naifeh. He appointed the Chief Clerk to serve as Secretary of the Committee.

APPOINTMENT OF ETHICS COMMITTEE

Speaker Naifeh appointed the following members to the House Ethics Committee: Representatives Kisber, Chairman; L. DeBerry, Purcell, Rinks, Byrd, Bittle, Wood, Cole (Carter), Kent, and Hassell.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

The Speaker announced that he had appointed the following Committee to review the audits and operations of the Comptroller of the Treasury and the Department of the Treasury: Representatives Rhinehart, Chairman; Bragg and Bittle.

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. Purcell moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of introducing House Joint Resolution No. 6 out of order, which motion prevailed.

House Joint Resolution No. 6 -- General Assembly -- Provides for joint committee to compare and count the vote in the 1994 election for Governor. by *Purcell, *Bittle.

On motion, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

On motion of Rep. Purcell, the resolution was adopted.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

The Speaker appointed the following committee to canvass the vote for Governor: Representative L. DeBerry, Chair; Purcell and Bittle.

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. Purcell moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of introducing House Joint Resolution No. 7 out of order, which motion prevailed.

House Joint Resolution No. 7 -- General Assembly, Joint Conventions -- Calls joint convention to elect comptroller of the treasury and state treasurer on January 11, 1995. by *Purcell, *Bittle.

On motion, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

On motion of Rep. Purcell, the resolution was adopted.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. L. DeBerry move that the rules be suspended for the purpose of introducing House Joint Resolution No. 10 out of order, which motion prevailed.

House Joint Resolution No. 10 -- Memorials, Public Service - Ned McWherter . by *Naifeh, *Armstrong, *Arriola, *Beavers, *Bell, *Bird, *Bittle, *Bowers, *Boyer, *Bragg, *Brooks, *Brown, *Buck, *Burchett, *Byrd, *Callicott, *Cantrell, *Chumney, *Clabough, *Coffey, *Cole (Carter), *Cole (Dyer), *Cross, *Curtiss, *Davidson, *Davis, *DeBerry J, *DeBerry L, *Duer, *Dunn, *Eckles, *Fitzhugh, *Ford, *Fowlkes, *Garrett, *Givens, *Gunnels, *Haley, *Halteman Harwell, *Hargrove, *Hassell, *Head, *Herron, *Hicks, *Huskey, *Jackson, *Jones R (Shelby), *Jones, S, *Jones U (Shelby), *Joyce, *Kent, *Kernell, *Kerr, *Kisber, *Langster, *Lewis, *McAfee, *McDaniel, *McDonald, *McKee, *McMillan, *Miller, *Napier, *Newton, *Odom, *Patton, *Peach, *Phelan, *Phillips, *Pinion, *Pruitt, *Purcell, *Ramsey, *Rhinehart, *Ridgeway, *Rigsby, *Rinks, *Ritchie, II, *Roach, *Robinson, *Sharp, *Shirley, *Stamps, *Stulce, *Tindell, *Towns, Jr., *Turner, (Hamilton), *Turner, (Shelby), *Venable, *Walley, *West, *Westmoreland, *White, *Whitson, *Williams, (Williamson), *Williams, (Union), *Windle, *Winningham, *Wood.

On motion of Rep. DeBerry L, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

On motion of Rep. DeBerry L, with the request that all members voting aye be added as sponsors, **House Joint Resolution No. 10** was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes	99
Noes	
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Representatives voting aye were: Armstrong, Arriola, Beavers, Bell, Bird, Bittle, Bowers, Boyer, Bragg, Brooks, Brown, Buck, Burchett, Byrd, Callicott, Cantrell, Chumney, Clabough, Coffey, Cole (Carter), Cole (Dyer), Cross, Curtiss, Davidson, Davis, DeBerry J,

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DeBerry L, Duer, Dunn, Eckles, Fitzhugh, Ford, Fowlkes, Garrett, Givens, Gunnels, Haley, Halteman Harwell, Hargrove, Hassell, Head, Herron, Hicks, Huskey, Jackson, Jones R (Shelby), Jones S, Jones U (Shelby), Joyce, Kent, Kernell, Kerr, Kisber, Langster, Lewis, McAfee, McDaniel, McDonald, McKee, McMillan, Miller, Napier, Newton, Odom, Patton, Peach, Phelan, Phillips, Pinion, Pruitt, Purcell, Ramsey, Rhinehart, Ridgeway, Rigsby, Rinks, Ritchie, Roach, Robinson, Sharp, Shirley, Stamps, Stulce, Tindell, Towns, Turner (Hamilton), Turner (Shelby), Venable, Walley, West, Westmoreland, White, Whitson, Williams (Union), Williams (Williamson), Windle, Winningham, Wood, Mr. Speaker Naifeh -- 99.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

RULES SUSPENDED

Representative Ridgeway moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of introducing House Joint Resolution No. 11 out of order, which motion prevailed.

House Joint Resolution No. 11 -- Memorials, Retirement -
William V. "Bud" Huffman. by *Naifeh, *Ridgeway, *Herron, *Fitzhugh, *Pinion, *Phelan, *Purcell, *Rhinehart, *Hargrove, *Bragg, *Kisber, *Rinks, *Cole (Dyer).

On motion, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

On motion of Rep. Ridgeway, the resolution was adopted.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

APPOINTMENT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

The Speaker announced that he had appointed the following members to the Select Oversight Committee on TennCare: Representatives DeBerry L., Purcell, Rhinehart, Herron, McDaniel, Whitson, Walley and Speaker Naifeh.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Speaker appointed Rep. Bragg as Deputy Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Clerk announced that the 1994 Audit Report of the Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury and the 1994 State Treasurer's Report had been submitted and were on file with the Clerk's office.

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Mr. Speaker: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, adopted for concurrence.

CLYDE

W. McCULLOUGH, Chief Clerk.

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Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 -- General Assembly, Joint Conventions - Provides for the Inauguration of Honorable Don Sundquist as Governor of Tennessee on Saturday, January 21, 1995. by *Atchley.

ENGROSSED BILLS
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The following bills have been examined, engrossed, and are ready for transmission to the Senate: House Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 6, 7, 10, and 11.

BETTY KAY

FRANCIS, Chief Engrossing Clerk.

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present 99
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Representatives present were: Armstrong, Arriola, Beavers, Bell, Bird, Bittle, Bowers, Boyer, Bragg, Brooks, Brown, Buck, Burchett, Byrd, Callicott, Cantrell, Chumney, Clabough, Coffey, Cole (Carter), Cole (Dyer), Cross, Curtiss, Davidson, Davis, DeBerry J, DeBerry L, Duer, Dunn, Eckles, Fitzhugh, Ford, Fowlkes, Garrett, Givens, Gunnels, Haley, Halteman Harwell, Hargrove, Hassell, Head, Herron, Hicks, Huskey, Jackson, Jones R (Shelby), Jones S, Jones U (Shelby), Joyce, Kent, Kernell, Kerr, Kisber, Langster, Lewis, McAfee, McDaniel, McDonald, McKee, McMillan, Miller, Napier, Newton, Odom, Patton, Peach, Phelan, Phillips, Pinion, Pruitt, Purcell, Ramsey, Rhinehart, Ridgeway, Rigsby, Rinks, Ritchie, Roach, Robinson, Sharp, Shirley, Stamps, Stulce, Tindell, Towns, Turner (Hamilton), Turner (Shelby), Venable, Walley, West, Westmoreland, White, Whitson, Williams (Union), Williams (Williamson), Windle, Winningham, Wood, Mr. Speaker Naifeh -- 99.

RECESS MOTION

On motion of Rep. Purcell, the House recessed until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 11, 1995.